

WEATHER: Showers and thunderstorms Thursday and Friday, fresh southeast winds.

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JUDGE C. B. PARKHILL ON SUPREME COURT BENCH

Judge F. B. Carter Resigns and is Appointed to Succeed Judge Parkhill in First Judicial Circuit.

DRAINAGE BILL PASSES HOUSE

The State Auditor Will Get an Assistant in His Office.

REMAINDER OF SESSION, SO FAR AS HOUSE IS CONCERNED, WILL BE TAKEN UP MAINLY IN ROUTINE WORK--UNIFORM TEXT BOOK BILL PROGRESSES IN SENATE.

Special to The Journal.
Tallahassee, May 24.—The senate this afternoon confirmed the appointment of Judge Francis B. Carter, recently of the supreme court bench, as judge of the first judicial circuit, Judge Charles B. Parkhill having resigned. Judge Parkhill was appointed to fill Judge Carter's place on the supreme court and as this position is an elective one, confirmation by the senate was not required.

The house passed the drainage bill this afternoon and the remainder of the session will be devoted simply to routine work.

Senator Crane's uniform text book bill was ordered engrossed.

The bill authorizing the appointment of an assistant to the state auditor was passed.

Senator Stockton's bill permitting counties to acquire by condemnation, abstract records where the county records have been destroyed by fire, passed.

Judge Parkhill in Tallahassee.

While the announcement of the exchange of offices by Judge Parkhill and Judge Carter will come as a surprise to the public at large, it was known by the close friends of the gentlemen that such an arrangement would soon be made. Judge Parkhill left Pensacola yesterday for Tallahassee where he will remain for about three weeks and then return to take his family there to live.

Judge Carter will have the benefit of the full six years' term to which Judge Parkhill was elected, while Judge Parkhill will have something less than two years on the supreme court bench, when he will have to go before the people for election if he desires to hold the office longer.

MORNING SESSION OF SENATE AND HOUSE.

Tallahassee, May 24.—In the senate this morning the McCrory uniform text book bill was gotten rid of by indefinite postponement, while the vote on the Crane substitute showed an apparent disinclination to make the same disposition of the latter. This, however, was purely superficial, the majority of the senate is against the bill, and this morning's debate merely meant that that illustrious body was killing time, preparatory to killing the bill itself.

In the house Captain Johnston withdrew his state insurance bill, while the administration bill, introduced by Mr. Wilson, of Jackson, was advanced to third reading.

The house killed Mr. Persons's franchise tax bill by a very decisive vote, but refused to reconsider the vote by which the license tax bill was defeated yesterday.

The senate joint resolution relating to the drainage of the Everglades was advanced to third reading in the house.

The committee substitute for the Jamestown exposition bill was passed by the senate.

The senate concurred in the house amendment to the bill providing for assistance to voters in the preparation of their ballots. This amendment struck out the words "from any cause whatsoever," and substituted "who cannot read or write."

It is generally conceded now that the Buckman bill will pass the senate, the opposition having, in fact, given up all hope.

MANY CASUALTIES IN SANTA FE WRECK

By Associated Press.

Topeka, Kas., May 24.—Santa Fe local passenger train No. 566 was wrecked at Hutchinson this afternoon. Several passengers are reported killed and injured. Among the killed is C. D. Wolf, mail clerk, of Kansas City.

TEN BUILDINGS ARE WRECKED

ENTIRE PLANT NATIONAL FIRE WORKS DEMOLISHED BY TERRIFIC EXPLOSION.

By Associated Press.
Rockland, Mass., May 24.—The entire plant of the National Fire Works Company at West Hanover, Mass., consisting of ten wooden buildings, was destroyed by an explosion in the mixing room late today. Of ninety employees of the plant only five were injured, one seriously. A similar accident took place at the plant two years ago, but it was unattended by any loss of life.

NO DECISIVE MOVE IN MANCHURIA

SITUATION IS VERY TENSE AND CORRESPONDENT IS NOT ALLOWED TO TELEGRAPH NEWS.

By Associated Press.
Gunshu-Pass, May 24.—The situation is very tense and the rival commanders are watching each other like hawks, but there has been no decisive move made on the part of Field Marshal Oyama. Lieutenant-General Renenhampt made a bold reconnaissance which cost several hundred casualties but the correspondent of the Associated Press was not allowed to telegraph the results obtained.

VLADIVOSTOCK LINES NOT CUT

REPORT THAT JAPS HAD INTERFERED WITH COMMUNICATION UNFOUNDED.

By Associated Press.
St. Petersburg, May 24.—In response to inquiries as to the truth of the report that the Japanese have cut a railroad to Vladivostok, the authorities have received replies from Harbin saying that both the railroad and telegraph lines to Vladivostok are working and the Associated Press is authorized to deny the report.

TO SECURE IMMIGRANTS

COMMISSIONER OF SOUTH CAROLINA SAILED FOR EUROPE WEDNESDAY.

By Associated Press.
New York, May 24.—J. C. Wyngaarden, the commissioner sent abroad by the government and prominent citizens of South Carolina to secure immigrants to people the proposed new settlement of four million acres which has been set apart by that state, sailed for Europe today. He will visit Germany, Holland and Belgium and will distribute literature explaining the resources of the land. Mr. Wyngaarden said before sailing that land had been purchased in Columbia county by the government and associates and that it was fertile for cotton and other crops.

OHIO BANK CLOSES DOORS

ANOTHER CASE OF BAD INVESTMENTS BY BANK OFFICIALS.

By Associated Press.
Canton, O., May 24.—The Canton State Bank closed its doors today. It is stated by the directors that the failure is due to investments made by Vice-President L. Davis. He gave security to the bank property valued at \$170,000.00 several days ago, but it is said this will not pay the obligations. The money belonging to the public schools of Canton was deposited in this bank. It is stated by the clearing house officials that no other Canton bank will be involved.

DEMANDS REJECTED

Chicago Employers Finally Decided to Refuse to Surrender.

NO STEPS TAKEN TOWARD PEACE

ONE THOUSAND EXTRA POLICEMEN CALLED FOR BY MAYOR DUNNE AND SEVERAL HUNDRED EXTRA DEPUTIES SWORN IN DURING THE DAY.

By Associated Press.
Chicago, May 24.—A final rejection of the union demands, especially those of the express drivers, was officially announced today by the employers. They demanded practically unconditional surrender.

Neither side of the strike made direct steps toward peace today and each is apparently waiting for the next move of the opponent.

The employers sent goods all over the city without violence under police protection today. Mayor Dunne has issued a call for one thousand extra police, and Sheriff Barrett swore in several hundred extra deputies during the day. The lumber district is practically at a standstill.

SAD DEATH AT SNEADS

LITTLE SON OF CAPT. AND MRS. T. A. BROWN EXPIRED AFTER SHORT ILLNESS.

Special to The Journal.
Sneads, May 24.—The little son of Capt. and Mrs. T. A. Brown died at their home at 1 o'clock p. m. yesterday, May 23rd, of pleurisy and congestion of the brain. Little Ernest had only been sick for about 10 days and his death is a sad blow to his parents and other relatives.

The funeral was conducted from the home of Captain Brown today, interment being in the city cemetery. The funeral was attended by a large crowd. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Duncan, of Pensacola, arrived on the noon train and also attended.

Captain Brown wishes to extend his thanks to friends for their much appreciated assistance, especially to Dr. P. B. Wilson and the family of Mr. J. D. Ferrell.

May the little school boys and girls remember little Ernest who was with them during the last term and remember that he will wait to attend school with them in the heavenly home above, when they, like he, have crossed the river of death and gone to the beautiful school grounds beyond.

Yesterday's Games on Big League Diamonds

By Associated Press.
Atlanta, May 24.—Southern League games resulted today as follows: Little Rock 5, Atlanta 0; New Orleans 3, Birmingham 2; Shreveport 1, Nashville 2; Memphis 1, Montgomery 9.

South Atlantic.
Columbia, S. C., May 24.—Games played today in the South Atlantic League resulted as follows: Columbia 0, Augusta 3; Macon 3, Jacksonville 0; Savannah 5, Charleston 4.

American League.
Chicago, May 24.—American League games played today resulted as follows: Chicago 7, Washington 4; Cleveland 6, Philadelphia 5; Detroit 12, New York 6; St. Louis 5, Boston 3.

National League.
New York, May 24.—The National League games today resulted as follows: Boston 1, Pittsburgh 11; New York 3, Cincinnati 4; Philadelphia 6, Chicago 2; Brooklyn 3, St. Louis 1.

Trans-Atlantic Racer Sighted in Mid-Ocean

By Associated Press.
New York, May 24.—A three-masted schooner-yacht which is believed to be the trans-Atlantic racer, Atlantic, was sighted by the White Star liner Armenian, Captain Kelk, which arrived today from Liverpool. When sighted the yacht was approximately 940 miles from Sandy Hook at about 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. This is at a point farther east than the Atlantic has yet been reported.

Observers on board the Armenian could only make out that the speedy racer was a three masted schooner and before a strong southeast wind was blowing along at a fast clip, carrying all upper and lower sails.

HOME HUNTING

usually begins by answering an advertisement and it ends there if the property is right. Journal want ads. are always money makers.

SENATOR MALLORY'S POWERFUL SPEECH FOR WHITE SUPREMACY

TURF EXCHANGE UP AGAINST IT

TEN TRUE BILLS FOUND AGAINST THOSE CONNECTED WITH NATIONAL DISTRICT TELEGRAPH CO.

By Associated Press.
Atlanta, May 24.—The National District Telegraph Company, which has been running the new turf exchange in Atlanta for about a week, found itself in more trouble this morning when the grand jury, after an investigation lasting several hours, returned ten true bills of indictment against the proprietors and employees of the place, charging them with violating the state laws against gaming.

None of the names of those indicted were made public by the sheriff, who declined to furnish any information until all the arrests had been made. However, as only four of the employees of the place were fined in the recent hearing in the recorder's court, it would appear that the grand jury has gone through the place with a drag net, and is determined upon getting everything in sight from the janitor up.

TAMPA HAS A BIG FIRE

PROPERTY VALUED AT \$45,000 DESTROYED AND FIVE FIREMEN INJURED.

Tampa, May 24.—Property losses of forty thousand dollars, five firemen injured, one of whom will probably die, sum up the results of a fire Tuesday night, which destroyed two buildings at Franklin and Cass streets, occupied by the Tampa Light Infantry armory, with all their contents, Robert Muggie's armory saloon, J. W. Jones's Beehive store and J. Gordon's pawnshop. The fire was caused by the explosion of a gasoline lamp in the Beehive.

W. D. Kirk, fireman of Station No. 1, was caught under a falling brick wall, and was crushed so that he will probably die.

All the arms and ammunition in the armory were destroyed, including five thousand cartridges and fifty rifles.

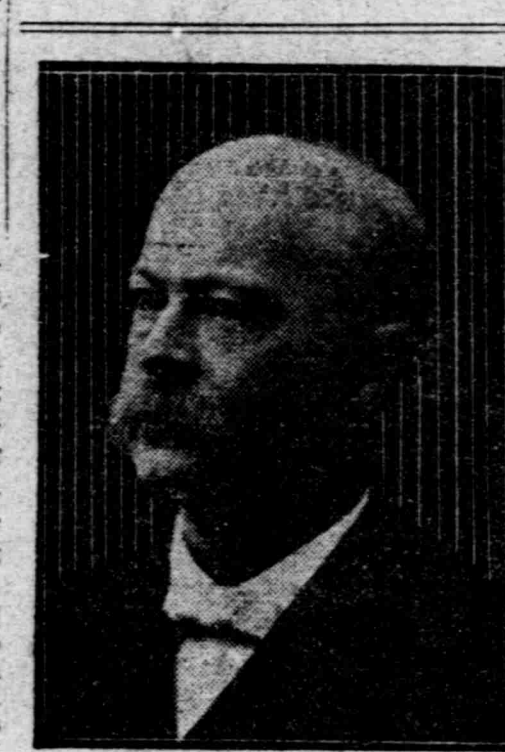
Alarm was caused by the report that another man was buried under the debris, and a large crowd watched the city prisoners remove fallen bricks, but nobody was found.

The insurance on the property was about eight thousand dollars. The building containing the armory and saloon was owned by the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association of St. Louis.

Prominent Lumberman Killed.

Bristol, Va., May 24.—Olson A. Kenyon, a prominent lumberman of Naom, Mich., was killed near Damascus, Va., on a log railroad. He was largely interested in the Thayer Lumber Company, operating in that section. The body will be sent to Naom, Mich.

He Declared the White Democratic Primary Legal and Regular and Said He Thought it the Duty of Democrats to Support the Primary Nominees--Unanswerable Logic for Democratic Regularity.



Senator S. R. Mallory, who Spoke Last Night for White Democracy.



Hon. Chas. H. Bliss, Democratic Candidate for Mayor, who was Accorided Such an Ovation Last Night.

NO TRACE OF BOY MISSING FROM ASHEVILLE SCHOOL

SON OF WASHINGTON A. ROEBLING, WHO DISAPPEARED SEVERAL DAYS AGO LEFT NOTE SAYING HE WAS GOING TO TRAMP ABOUT THE COUNTRY.

By Associated Press.
Trenton, N. J., May 24.—No trace has been found of Siegfried Roebbling, the fourteen-year-old grandson of Colonel Washington A. Roebbling, of this city, who recently ran away from an Asheville, N. C., school, leaving a note saying he was going to tramp about the country and would return in June.

An attempt has been made to defraud Colonel Roebbling in connection with the boy's disappearance. Colonel Roebbling received today this telegram, purporting to be from his grandson:

"Grandfather, please telegraph me fifty dollars at once; expected to but did not go south; will come over and explain." The telegram was signed Siegfried and came from 1257 Broadway, New York. Colonel Roebbling did not send the money, but instead sent an employee, who succeeded in having the sender of the telegram arrested, as it was not from his grandson. The search for the missing boy will be kept up.

Young Roebbling disappeared from the school at Asheville several days ago, and his whereabouts since are unknown.

Man Shoots Wife and Five Children Fatally

By Associated Press.
San Francisco, May 24.—William Stephens, at Rose Valley today killed his wife and shot his five children, three of whom died instantly. He also attempted to kill a passing milkman, and then ended his own life. It is believed the two surviving children cannot live. There is no known reason for the tragedy, but it is believed that Stephens became suddenly insane.

MEETING DID NOT MATERIALIZE

THE NEGROES DID NOT GATHER AT ST. JOSEPH'S HALL IN NUMBERS EXPECTED.

The meeting of the negroes of precinct No. 14, which was to have been held last night, failed to materialize. When the hour arrived for calling the meeting to order only four persons were present, and one of these stated that he was there only to see what was being done.

The meeting was called by Aaron Prather, and to all intents and purposes it was for the endorsement of C. L. Shine for mayor, or at least to support his candidacy against that of the White Democratic nominee.

The negroes, however, failed to gather in the numbers expected and after remaining at the hall until after 9 o'clock the meeting was adjourned.

It was stated by some of those present that another meeting had conflicted with the one to be held in St. Joseph's hall, and had attracted the crowd. The latter meeting was supposed to have been held somewhere in the vicinity of Garden and A streets. It was also announced that a meeting of the negroes would be held Friday night near Thiesen's east end saloon.

REPORT FAVORS GERMAN PRINCESS

LOUISE, OF SAXE COBURG, ADJUDGED SANE BY EXAMINING PHYSICIANS.

By Associated Press.
Paris, May 24.—The doctors who were appointed to examine into the mental condition of Princess Louise, Saxe Coburg, have handed in a report of their consultations which are clearly favorable to the princess. This is the second time the princess has been examined by physicians appointed by French tribunals and adjudged sane.

CHAS. H. BLISS RECEIVES OVATION

Democratic Candidate for Mayor Makes His First Speech in the Campaign.

Judge Emmet Wolfe's Eloquent Speech.

THE LARGEST GATHERING EVER ASSEMBLED AT ARMORY HALL GREETED SPEAKERS FOR THE WHITE DEMOCRATIC TICKET LAST NIGHT--A NOTABLE MEETING AND THE GREATEST ENTHUSIASM EVERYWHERE.

Standing room was at a premium in Armory Hall last night, and none to be had. Every available inch of space in the large auditorium was occupied by representative ladies and gentlemen, all enthusiastic for White Democracy, and the crowd overflowed into the galleries and some even occupied coigns of vantage on top of the rooms at the rear of the hall. Long before the meeting was called to order every seat was occupied, and a steady stream poured into the hall until it could hold no more.

No Negroes There. Needless to say, no negroes were there, although a few supporters of the Anti-White Primary candidate were present. They were, however, in such a hopelessly small minority that their presence was unnoticed except by those who knew them. A few republicans were also noted in the audience.

The Speakers.

There were only three speakers, Senator Stephen R. Mallory, Charles H. Bliss and J. Emmet Wolfe, and the meeting was presided over by Chairman John B. Jones, in his usual efficient and graceful manner. All of the speeches were masterful and eloquent and were interspersed with enthusiastic applause and cheering. As Mr. Bliss stepped upon the platform he was cheered and applauded to the echo, in acknowledgment of which he bowed and took his seat.

Senator S. R. Mallory was the first to address the audience, and, after gracefully complimenting the ladies present, spoke in part as follows:

Senator Mallory's Address.
"We have here amongst us millions of people of an alien race; alien in color, different in characteristics and who, under no circumstances, can amalgamate with us; a race decidedly inferior to the caucasians. The history of the south during the decade between 1866 and 1876 is a monument to the incapacity of that race as governors of people. We have had too severe lessons to forget the sad history of those days, and now, once more, we are confronted with a question as to whether the policies and the destinies of the municipality of Pensacola shall be controlled and shaped by white men or whether they shall be controlled and shaped by white men in partnership with negroes. (Applause and cheers.)

"I take it that no man, when the proposition is presented to him in that shape, if he has a spark of pride of ancestry or pride of race within his breast would hesitate to vote for white supremacy, as a vote for honor, and I do not wish to stir up any feeling of ill will to the colored people; doubtless among them are some who are as capable of voting with intelligence, and men who deport themselves as well as white men; but we are speaking of the great mass, and it would be the greatest mistake in the world for a community, such as we are, to turn over our destiny, the great and important things that are to be in the near future, to be determined by the actions of a people who we know are incapable of doing it.

"Therefore, my friends, I say that this is a very distinct and different municipal contest than we have ever been engaged in before, and it becomes us, as rational men and sensible men that are capable of sinking their small differences for the public good, to cast aside all other questions and face, with a determination to save the issue of the right to the people of Pensacola to control their municipal affairs. (Tremendous cheers and applause.)

The Primary Legal and Regular.
"I have looked somewhat into the history of the white city primary; I have examined into the accusations

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